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## Hello Wallace,

Thank you for contacting us for this clarification.

Burrow baiting will be limited to within 50 feet of a building. We have defined buildings as structures that possess walls and a roof.

Please let me know if you have any further questions.

Regards,		
Rusty		

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▼ "Wallace Wentink" ---04/05/2011 01:11:41 PM---Dear Mr. Wassem; Could you clarify for me 2 aspects of the new regulations described for placement

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Dear Mr. Wassem;

Could you clarify for me 2 aspects of the new regulations described for placement of baits outdoors published in the E.P.A's website at: http/www.epa.gov/oppsrrd1/reregistration/rodenticides/final risk decision.htm.

for professional applicators in a landscape within 50' of a structure, is placement of any place packs within a burrow inside of the 50' perimeter? Does the new regulation mean that baiting of burrows with a meal or pellet based place pack outside of the 50' perimeter is completely prohibited?

Does the definition of a structure pertain strictly to an inhabitated building with a foundation, or does it include permanent structure with a landscape such as a monument or foundation wall associated with a fountain or hard surfaced plaza?

Thanks i advance for your help,

Wallace Wentink

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